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| Application No.: | 09/827,202 |
| Filed: | April 5, 2001 |
| For: | CIRCUMFERENTIAL RESECTING REAMER TOOL |
| Examiner: | |
| Group Art Unit: | 3739 |

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Docket No.: S85.2-9662

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS

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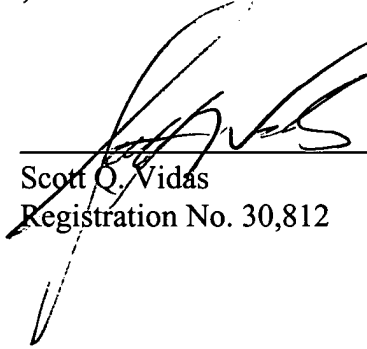
1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (Form PTO-1533) and a Check for \$130.00 to cover the filing and surcharge fees.
2. Declaration;
3. Power of Attorney. If from assignee, it is hereby certified that the undersigned has authority to make this certification and has reviewed all the documents in the chain of title of the patent application identified herein and, to the best of undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above (37 CFR 3.73(b));
4. Constructive Petition
5. Correspondence Address of Law Firm

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Respectfully submitted,

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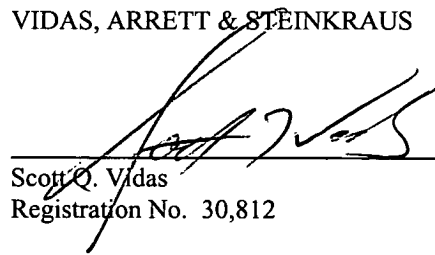
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1) Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application; 2) Response to Notice of Missing Parts; 3) Declaration; 4) Power of Attorney; 5) Check \$130.00; 6) Constructive Petition for Extension of Time and Fee Authorization; 7) Correspondence Address of Law Firm; 8) VAS transmittal; and 9) return postcard.
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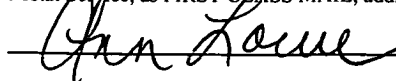
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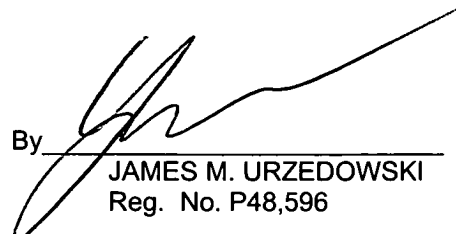
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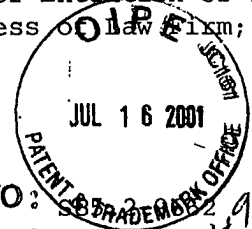
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